

## WILL INVESTIGATE THE MANAGER PLAN

Chamber of Commerce Committee Appointed for That Purpose.

## MET CITY FATHERS

Important Matter Discussed During Noonday Luncheon Yesterday.

During the conference between the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce and city commissioners, held in conjunction with the regular noonday luncheon at Hotel Tulsa yesterday, a committee was appointed to investigate all methods of city government, including the city manager proposition. This committee is to report back at a meeting to be held some time in the future, after which it is expected it will become known definitely the attitude of the two boards toward the Dayton plan.

The C. of C. board went on record during a meeting held last week as being heartily in favor of the manager form, at which time they invited the city commissioners to their luncheon yesterday, when the plan could be discussed more thoroughly and the attitude of the commissioners learned.

At first it was suggested that a committee be named to investigate the manager form exclusively, but later this motion was amended to provide for an investigation of all forms, including the manager and even the old mayor and councilman methods.

**For River Betterment.**

S. J. Roy, field secretary of the Rivers and Harbors commission, attended the meeting and urged that everything possible be done to make the Arkansas river navigable at least as far as Tulsa. Mr. Roy explained that a city with only one method of transportation should not expect to compete with those more fortunately situated. He thought the Arkansas river could be made navigable for comparatively little expense. The canal system was suggested as being probably the most feasible.

Mr. Roy's address was well received and it was apparent that his remarks had made excellent impressions. Practically all members of the Chamber of Commerce are heartily in favor of making the Arkansas navigable, something which would be the means of considerably reducing the present high freight rates.

## CITY ORCHESTRA IS CREATING INTEREST

Organization Here Is Expected to Be Among Best of Country.

The Tulsa spirit of enthusiasm is in full evidence with the new municipal orchestra which is being organized by Prof. Charles F. Laughton.

The personnel is steadily increasing and there is favorable mention of the plan and the spirit in which it is being promoted. It is opening up a broad field to the student class, stimulating their musical activity and giving purpose to their study. It is equally beneficial to the teachers, as it affords them and their pupils vast opportunities.

Fifty years ago there existed in America only three orchestras of a symphony nature. They were the orchestra of the Philharmonic society and the Theodore Thomas orchestra, both of New York, and the Harvard Musical association of Boston.

Musical conditions have changed vastly in America. Since then wonderful strides have been made, due to the sacrifices and untiring efforts of a few thorough musicians of ability.

Through the Tulsa municipal orchestra many homes are being represented, all aiming at a common good. It should be a great incentive to all interested in music to become affiliated with this organization, and also for others to prepare toward this end.

## Law Firm Member Defends Brandeis

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thirty or forty cases for it since that time.

**Ten Was for Advice.**

The witness stated that Brandeis acted without pay as counsel for the policy holders who had their organization headquarters in his office and that many of the returns urged by them were adopted by the company.

"How," inquired Federal Attorney Anderson, representing the committee, "did that happen?"

"Oh, that had nothing to do with the protective association," was the response. "Mr. McSwaney consulted Mr. Brandeis about taking the surrender cash value of his policy, and Mr. Brandeis charged him \$10 for his advice."

As to the charge that Mr. Brandeis was employed by the New Haven and others to wreck the New England railroad, Mr. McSwaney said the office diary showed that Mr. Brandeis ceased to have any connection with the litigation against the New England in June, 1913.

The witness began to tell about the

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25c.—Adv.

## LIVES ON FIFTEEN CENTS EVERY DAY



MICHAEL MORALES.  
O.F.S.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—One of the most touching cases which has yet come to the attention of the department of public charities is that of 12-year-old Michael Morales, who has been living on 15 cents a day, earned by selling papers on the streets, and in addition, attending school.

Michael's mother died four years ago. His father was taken to the New York hospital a month ago and "Mike" was left to face life alone.

"I got up in the morning about 7 o'clock," he said, "I made coffee on the gas stove, I went to school. When I came home for lunch, I ate bologna and bread. Then I went back to school. After school I sold papers until 8 o'clock. I made about 15 cents, maybe 20. Then I came home and cooked me a couple of eggs. Then I did my home work. I became every night. Then I went to bed."

Justice Collins, in the children's court, secured the charities department for the lack of interest it had shown in the boy's case. He is now being cared for by the children's society.

United Shoe Machinery matters but had not concluded when the committee adjourned. He said that although Mr. Brandeis was a director of the McKay Shoe Machinery company, which went into the United Shoe Machinery company in 1899 and signed a circular to stockholders advising the consolidation, Mr. Brandeis never expressed an opinion as to the legality of the consolidation or of the company's leases.

**New Produce House.**

The new fruit and produce house, to be known as the Marshall-Young company, opens its doors for business today. The new firm is located at 409 East First street and will do a wholesale jobbing business in fruits and produce of all kinds. The officers of the company are C. J. Marshall, president; Otto E. Upp, vice-president; and H. M. Young, secretary and treasurer. The building and basement have been ideally equipped for this particular business. Large cold storage rooms have been installed as well as banana ripening rooms. The equipment, together with the knowledge the members of the firm have of the business, should assure success for the new firm from the start.

Mr. Marshall was for two years manager of the Goodrich-Malone company and is well known among the trade. Mr. Upp is a member of the Upp Grocery company firm and is also well known. Mr. Young is one of the firm of the Harvey Young Oil company. Adv.

**A War Story.**

"A cat named Teddy—"  
"Never mind the rest of it. I'm not surprised."

**FOR "POLITICAL REASONS."**

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**ITALIAN CROWN PRINCE GETS HIS FIRST MILITARY TRAINING**



PRINCE HUMBERT REPORTING FOR TRAINING. ©INTL. FILM SERVICE.

With the prince of Wales, the crown prince of Germany, and the heirs apparent to the thrones of Austria, Serbia and Belgium on the firing line, Crown Prince Humbert of Italy, although too young for service at the front, is nevertheless receiving military training.

The crown prince has joined the boy scouts and is here shown in uniform reporting for his first drill. He has not become quite democratic enough as yet to dispose of the royal automobile which whisks him from the

## BONDHOLDERS TARDY WITH TAX RETURNS

This Is Their Last Day for Filing of Income Tax Statements.

Today is the last day for filing income tax returns with the collector of internal revenue, and all corporations and individuals who fail in this duty will be subject to penalties.

For the benefit of those who do not understand this matter, it is explained that all persons whose annual incomes are \$3,000 or more are subject to the income tax, while all corporations also are affected. There are, evidently, few persons in Oklahoma whose incomes are affected by the law—at least comparatively few have made their returns, notwithstanding that Oklahoma is among the richest states of the country. The government officials are convinced, therefore, that the penalties will greatly increase the sum which ordinarily would have been collected.

Delinquents will be notified within the next few days of the fact that in addition to the regular tax on their incomes they will be compelled to pay the penalties. If the penalties are not promptly forthcoming arrests will follow. Once arrested the delinquents will be subjected to being jailed upon default of substantial bonds to insure their hearings before a government official.

## POLITICAL LULL AT BARTLESVILLE

Not a Candidate as Yet Filed for Office and It's Nearly Time to Vote.

Special to The World.

BARTLESVILLE, Okla., Feb. 29.—Lack of interest in the coming spring elections in Bartlesville, and other towns and cities in the county, is causing some worry among leaders of both old parties, who admit they are at a loss to understand the reason for so little enthusiasm. As yet, not a candidate has filed for the office of city commissioner in Bartlesville, the only city office to be filled this year. City Commissioner John McMullen is to be a candidate for re-election, but has not filed. Frank Adams, who made the race against McMullen two years ago, is a receptive candidate, but as yet has not thrown his hat in the ring. McMullen is a Democrat; while Adams is a Republican.

At Dewey, an entire city ticket is to be elected, including a mayor, city attorney, members of city council, city clerk, town clerk, and city marshal. At Ramona, Vera, Ochelata and Comanche, a city council, city clerk and city treasurer are to be elected. The mayor of these towns is appointed by the members of city council from the ranks of the council members. As yet, no candidates have filed for office in these towns.

Vera, is likely to have a red hot spring election. Last fall the city council passed an ordinance, which wiped out pool halls. The council also threatens to stop the holding of "movie" shows in that town and if a movement is started for "movie" shows, the city council will pass another ordinance. It is understood the more liberal element is working quietly and intends making a fight for the election of councilmen who will be "right." But this is the only town or city in the county where the spring election is attracting any attention, which is causing some worry among politicians. "Start something," may be adopted as a slogan.

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**Try This.**

Fold a dollar bill and place it in your vest pocket. As you take it out you will find it increases.—Judge.

## Fine Healthy Child Convincing Evidence

SIMPLE INEXPENSIVE REMEDY CHECKS EARLY TENDENCY TO CONSTIPATION

About the first thing impressed on the young Mother is the necessity for regularity in her baby, which brings up the question of the most desirable laxative for children's use.

Mrs. Jesse Richardson, Philpot, Ky., says she has used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for the past year and that there is no medicine in the world like it. She writes, "My little son, William, Jr., just loved it because it is so pleasant to take, and everybody talks about his being such a fine healthy boy."

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WM. J. RICHARDSON, JR.

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## ECHOES

WHEN the BOULGERS at CONVENTION hall PREMATURELY CELEBRATED PROSPERITY day THEY proved the TRUTH of the ADAGE that he WHO laughs last IS the STEAM fitter. Blime!

## SWEDEN IS MENACED BY BIG MINE FIELD

Germans Plant Coastal Waters With Explosives to Stop Traffic.

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 29.—Via London, 7:55 p. m.—Germany now has taken her long expected action in laying a mine field around the Falsterbo peninsula near the southern extremity of Sweden on the Baltic, scarcely three miles off shore. As the passage left is very shallow, nowhere deeper than fifteen feet, most merchant ships are obliged to steam outside the mine field into international waters where German cruisers are on patrol.

The new mine field is intended to prevent traffic in contraband along the Swedish coast to Finnish ports, but as the steamers used in this traffic draw little water, seldom over ten feet, the mine field has not affected them. All larger ships, however, will be put under German surveillance and not even Sweden's navy will be able to sail from the North sea to the Baltic nor the reverse without German pilots.

It is understood that Sweden made energetic representations against the mine field being placed in this way and that Wilhelmstrasse was willing to drop the scheme if Sweden would agree to prohibit contraband traffic along her coast. As such a step, however, would present complications as Danish and Norwegian ships are largely employed in the traffic and as it was held that it would look like partiality toward the central powers, Sweden, it was said, refused.

The Swedish steamer Knippla which struck the mine and was sunk yesterday was the first victim of the mine field. All on board were saved but there is great indignation among Swedes over the occurrence as no announcement whatever was given and the mines were laid by night. Several Swedish destroyers had narrow escapes from striking mines in this field.

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## KNOCKOUT BLOW TO TAX FERRETS

Supreme Court Says Sleuths Can't Go Too Far in Forcing Payment.

Special to The World.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 29.—The case of tax ferrets employed by boards of county commissioners of the state to discover and submit alleged omitted property for listing on the tax rolls was not helped any by a decision handed down today by the supreme court, the opinion written by Justice Hardy. O. R. McCombs had been employed by the commissioners of Grant county and in his work the tax ferret sought to have listed property belonging to Stewart Brothers. The county treasurer refused to allow the property to be listed for taxation, and the tax ferret appealed to the county court. Here his appeal was dismissed and then he took the matter to the supreme court. The high court sustained the action of the lower court.

The supreme court, in disposing of the case, said: "A tax ferret has not such interest in the subject matter involved in a proceeding to discover property not listed and assessed for taxation, and to list and assess the same, as to authorize him to prosecute an appeal from a final order of the county treasurer to the county court or from the county court to the supreme court."

The court holds that the tax ferret must have a direct and pecuniary interest in the matter, and not as remote consequence of the judgment. The decision will have a far-reaching effect, covering the work of tax ferrets in the state.

## MUST STOP THIRD DEGREE METHODS

Commissioner Will File Suits Against Policemen If They Continue.

Special to The World.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 29.—Unless alleged "third degree" methods are abolished at the city jail, W. D. Matthews, commissioner of charities and corrections, stated today that he would file individual informations against members of the police force. The hearing he has been conducting was practically closed today. The commissioner heard further testimony today of alleged beatings given to prisoners while in the custody of the law.

J. M. Sims, employed at a department store across the alley from the police station, told the commissioner today that he had heard blows emanating from the rooms occupied by the police department, and Dick Taggart, who had been placed in jail on one occasion, said he saw the jailer hit another man with either a chain or a key.

Several members of the police force were before the commission and all said they had never seen anyone beaten in the jail or about the premises.

Commissioner Matthews has examined about 25 people in connection with the alleged practices complained of. This testimony will be presented to the county attorney, he says, and if there is nothing done he declared he would bring suits himself against the individual members of the police force against whom complaints have been made.

**Elsie's Find.** Six-year-old Elsie found her mother incessantly for a chew of gum before they went into the theater, but explaining that it was impolite to chew in public her mother refused to give it to her.

Little Elsie did not forget the gum, however, for when the show was over she said: "Mamma, where does gum come from?"

"From a tree, Elsie," replied her mother. "What kind of a tree, mamma?" "Why, a spruce tree, my dear." "Well, the seat I sat in must have been made of a spruce tree, 'cause I dug a nice big chew of gum off the bottom of it."—Judge.

**A Slow Starter.**

The maid of all work in a Brooklyn household was recently taken to task by her mistress for oversleeping. After due reflection the maid replied: "Well, mum, it's this way: I sleep very slow, and so it takes me a long while to get me night's rest."—Youth's Companion.

**This Is Keeping Him Busy.**

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